TO: Mayor, Trustees, Village Attorney and Village Clerk

FROM: Village Administrator Steve Stricker and Staff

**DATE:** June 24, 2011

SUBJECT: Miscellaneous Memo

#### Storm Damage Emergency Branch Pickup - Monday, June 27, 7:00 a.m.

As you know, the aftermath of the severe thunderstorms that went through our area on Tuesday night left many of our residents without power and caused considerable damage to trees on private and public property. Due to the scope of the tree damage, the Village is providing curbside branch pick-up beginning Monday, June 27. ALL BRANCHES MUST BE PLACED AT THE CURB BY 7:00 a.m. on MONDAY, JUNE 27. Once the contractor has been down a street, they will not return. Residents are asked to please follow the regular brush chipping program requirements as detailed on our <a href="Public Works Forestry & Grounds page on the website">Public Works Forestry & Grounds page on the website</a>. This emergency program is intended only for storm related damage. (The regular fall brush-chipping program will resume in October.)

The notification regarding this emergency branch pick-up was distributed in the following ways:

- Reverse 9-1-1 message sent out by the Police Department
- Email sent to all E-Briefs subscribers (includes Homeowners' Association presidents and Board/Commission members who have provided their email address to us)
- Notices posted on social media sites (Facebook/BRVillage & Twitter/BRVillage)
- Notices published on BurrRidgePatch.com & Triblocal.com
- Notice posted on Village Cable Channel
- Notice posted on Village website
- Village Hall staff called residents who inquired about the pick-up
- An announcement will also be made at tonight's concert.

## <u>Veterans Memorial Committee Meeting – Wednesday, June 29, 4:00 p.m.</u>

The next meeting of the Veterans Memorial Committee is scheduled on Wednesday, June 29, at 4:00 p.m.

#### Village Hall Closed for Independence Day - Monday, July 4

Please be reminded that the Village Hall will be closed on Monday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day. I want to wish you and your family a happy and safe 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration.

### Police Pension Board Meeting - Tuesday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.

The next Police Pension Board meeting is scheduled on Tuesday, July 12, at 7:00 p.m.

#### **BFPC Meeting Cancelled**

Due to a lack of agenda items, the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners meeting scheduled on July 13 has been cancelled.

#### Pathway Commission Meeting - Thursday, July 14, 7:00 p.m.

The next Pathway Commission meeting is scheduled on Thursday, July 14, at 7:00 p.m.

# Plan Commission Meeting - Monday, July 18, 7:30 p.m.

The next Plan Commission meeting is scheduled on Monday, July 18, at 7:30 p.m. (There is no Plan Commission meeting scheduled on July 4 due to the holiday.)

#### EDC Meeting - Tuesday, July 19, 7:30 p.m.

The next Economic Development Committee meeting is scheduled on Tuesday, July 19, at 7:30 p.m.

#### <u>Veterans Memorial Committee Meeting – Wednesday, July 27, 4:00 p.m.</u>

The July meeting of the Veterans Memorial Committee is scheduled on Wednesday, July 27, at 4:00 p.m.

#### EQC Meeting - Wednesday, July 27, 7:30 p.m.

The next Environmental Quality Commission meeting is scheduled on Wednesday, July 27, at 7:30 p.m.

#### **Saia Annexation Update**

It is my understanding that, as of late Thursday afternoon, Saia and the property owner of the truck depot have negotiated a resolution to their outstanding issues. Scott Hargadon, attorney for Saia, has indicated that he has been authorized to send the agreement to Saia officials in Atlanta for execution. We hope to receive the signed agreements early next week and, assuming that we receive an annexation petition from the property owner and he signs the agreement, we will be able to place this on the agenda for the July 11 Board meeting.

#### **Village to Receive Additional MFT Funds**

On Thursday morning, Governor Quinn announced the release of \$100 million in additional Motor Fuel Tax monies for municipal, township and county transportation projects statewide. The source of these funds is the six-year, \$31 billion Illinois Now jobs program, passed by the General Assembly more than a year ago. The program calls for municipalities, townships and counties to receive five annual installments of \$100 million for transportation projects. The \$100 million released on Thursday is the second of the five installments. As a result, it appears that the Village of Burr Ridge will receive \$48,894 more in MFT funds this year.

## **Notice of Construction**

A Notice of Construction that is being sent to residents with details of the 91<sup>st</sup> Street Resurfacing Project that is scheduled to begin in late June and is projected for completion by late-July, weather permitting, is available for review at the Village Hall.

### **Comcast Programming Changes**

A letter from Daniel Maloney, Director of Government Affairs for Comcast, announcing several changes to their channel lineup that will go into effect in June, July and August of 2011 is available for review at the Village Hall.

# **Police Department Activity Report**

The Police Department's Activity Report for May 2011, prepared by Police Chief John Madden, is available for review at the Village Hall.